



Please join us at a Congressional Briefing and panel discussion on the global road crash health epidemic and what steps can be taken by the public and private sectors to reduce the number of injuries and fatalities associated with road crashes.

“1.24 million people die each year on the world’s roads and between 20 and 50 million sustain non-fatal injuries. Young adults between the ages of 15 and 44 years account for 59 percent of global road traffic deaths.” (World Health Organization)

The briefing, ***Achieving Balance for Road Safety in Global Health: the Role of U.S. Government and the Private Sector*** is sponsored by:

The Association for Safe International Road Travel and FIA Foundation, in cooperation with **Representative Chris Van Hollen (D-MD.)**

It will take place on:

DATE: May 16, 2016

TIME: 9-10:30am

ROOM: CHOB (121)

Coffee and refreshments served

The most dangerous and most widely overlooked risk when traveling abroad is road safety. The recent tragic bus crashes in Honduras and Spain killing several students highlights the need for multi-sectoral and intergovernmental collaboration to combat the growing global burden of road crashes. Panelists will include representatives from the U.S. Department of State, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, U.S. Department of Transportation; Injury prevention experts and researchers, University officials and a member of the corporate world.

We hope that you will be able to attend. For more information, please contact Cathy Silberman at csilberman@asirt.org or (240) 249-0100. To RSVP, please email asirt@asirt.org.